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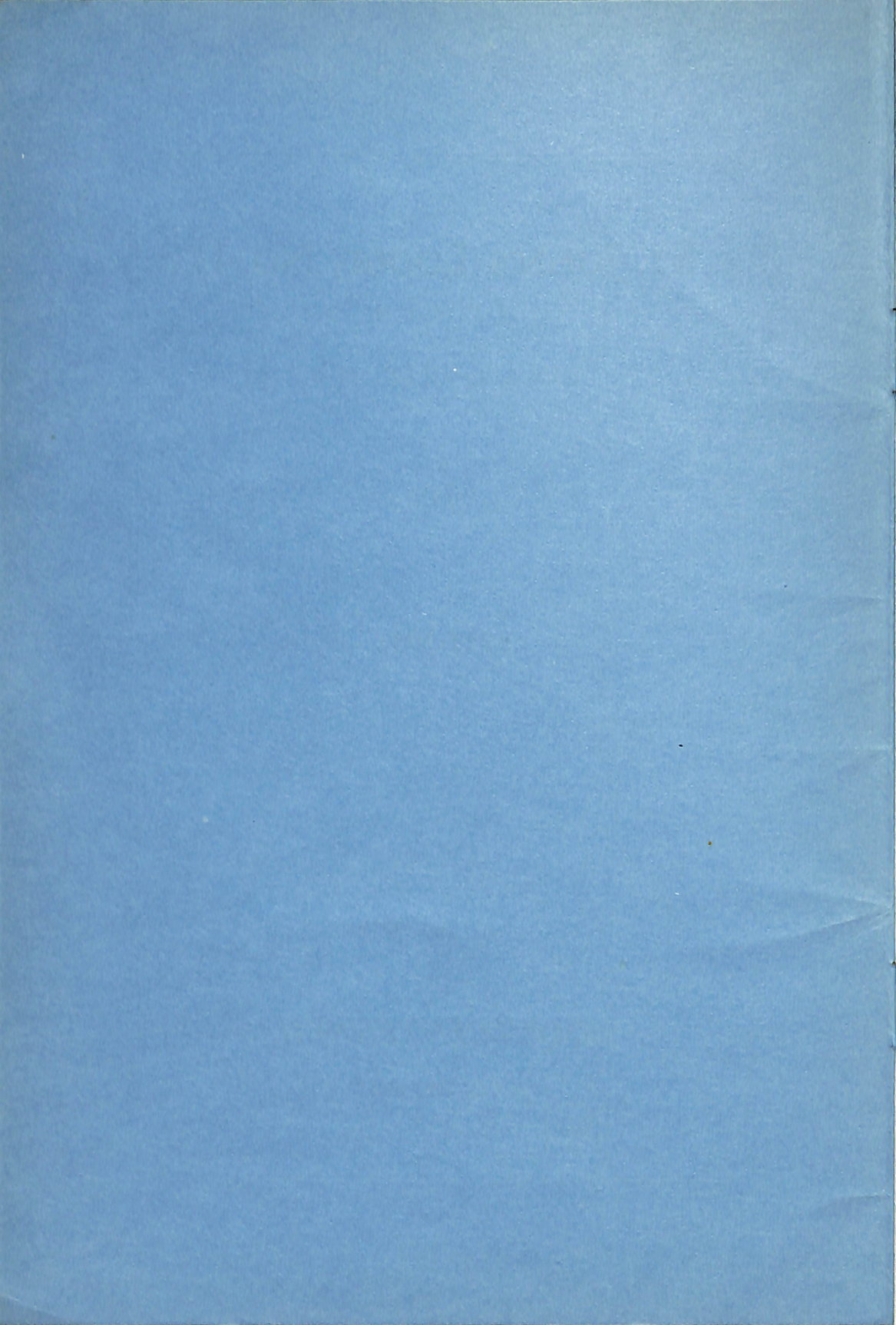
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TO THE WORSHIPFUL MASTER, WARDENS, AND BRETHREN OF
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BRETHREN:

Having been appointed by the Worshipful Master to write a historical sketch of our Lodge, we submit the attached report.

Some of the early records had been lost; therefore, we had to use such records as were available.

It has been a genuine pleasure to write this historical sketch, and we express our appreciation to the Grand Secretary's office and to all who have assisted us.

Respectfully submitted,

F. W. MCGOWEN, *Chairman*,
GUY V. GOODING, M. D.,
A. T. OUTLAW.

PRESS OF
OXFORD (MASONIC) ORPHANAGE
OXFORD, NORTH CAROLINA
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History of St. John's Lodge, No. 13, A. F. & A. M.

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The following excerpts are from minutes of a meeting of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, held at New Bern on the 25th. day of June, 1791; "A petition from the Duplin Lodge praying a charter, on motion resolved that the prayer of the petition be granted, and that Bro. James Kenan be Master, Bro. Charles Ward, Senior Warden; and Bro. Patrick Newton, Junior Warden of the same and that the said lodge be called by the name of ST. JOHNS."

DUPLIN ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 13, the original Masonic Lodge in Duplin county, was instituted June 25, 1791, about three and one-half years after the Grand Lodge of North Carolina was organized. The lodge was formed at Duplin Old Court House near the Sampson and Duplin County line and near the home of General James Kenan, who was the first Master. A constitution was drawn and the original signers were well-known men of that time, to wit: General James Kenan, W. M.; Colonel Charles Ward, S. W.; Patrick Newton, J. W.; Colonel Thomas Routledge, Sr., Treasurer; George Morrissey, Secretary, John Armstrong, Tyler. The members were Captain Michael Molton, Edward Harris, Daniel Harris, John Beck, John McIlleoina, and Thomas Routledge, Jr.

Within the next few years the reports on membership included the names of many others who were men of high character and prominence of that time, and among them were the following: Nathan Fryar, Daniel Glisson, Claborn Ivey, Thomas Kenan, William Higgins, John Linton, Nathaniel McCanne, Samuel Houston, William Wilkinson, Abraham Molton, Holden McGee, Thomas Finley, Thomas Wright, Owen O'Daniel, Loami Stevens, David Slocumb, Thomas Ivey, John Barfield, John Hurst, Stephen Beck, Rigdon Bryan, David Murdock, George P. Linton, Thomas J. Kinnear, William Wilkinson, Jr., Meschek Stallings, Shadrack Stallings, James Pheobus, George McDonald, James K. Hill, John Wilkinson, O. L. Kelly, William J. Price, David Wright, William Beck, and others.

General James Kenan was the Master from 1791 until 1800 when Thomas Wright became Master.

Thomas Wright was S. W. of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, Wilmington, N. C., in 1789, and a Past Master of said Lodge (a legitimate offspring of the Grand Lodge of England.)

In 1807 General Joseph T. Rhodes made report for the Lodge to the Grand Lodge.

The Lodge became dormant about 1824.

Warren Lodge, No. 101, Kenansville, N. C., was instituted Dec. 21, 1831, with James Kenan Hill, W. M.; O. L. Kelly, S. W.; Williams Coo-

per, J. W.; William J. Price, Secretary; John Wilkinson, Treasurer; A. G. Hill, S. D.; Samuel Stanford, J. D.; Wm. H. Hansley, Tyler. Other members included Samuel Houston, James Lawson, William H. Hurst, Thomas J. Kinnear, Hogan Hunter, John E. Hussey, John Farrior, Nicholas Hill, William K. Frederick, L. C. Stanford, A. G. Stanford, Lawton Houston, O. L. Kelly, R. L. Stanly, Charles H. Cooper, Thomas J. Kenan, N. Hale, and J. L. Linton.

At a meeting held Jan. 7, 1831, Williams Cooper was allowed the sum of twenty-five dollars for the purpose of procuring a charter.

The following members of St. John's Lodge, No. 13, became members of Warren Lodge, No. 101; Thomas J. Kinnear, Samuel Houston, John Linton, Thomas Kenan, John Hurst, Thomas Routledge, Jr., James K. Hill, Owen O'Daniel, O. L. Kelly, William J. Price, and probably others.

At a meeting held May 26, 1831, a committee consisting of John Wilkinson, O. L. Kelly and Hogan Hunter was appointed to select some suitable place to locate the Lodge.

At this meeting Brother A. G. Hill presented the Lodge with a Holy Bible as a token of his esteem for the Lodge and his respect for Masonry.

On June 24, 1831, a motion was passed ordering that the upper part of Brother Hogan Hunter's house be so altered as to make a suitable place for a Lodge. The following committee was appointed to make the necessary alterations: Thomas J. Kinnear, Williams Cooper and Samuel Stanford.

On November 12, 1831, a bill was ordered paid for altering the Lodge room.

Brother J. E. Hussey served as Grand Marshal in 1834, as Grand Sentinel in 1835, and as Grand Sword Bearer in 1836.

Brother James Kenan Hill served as Grand Marshal in 1835 and again in 1836.

The Lodge functioned until about 1840, when it became dormant.

Some members of Warren Lodge, No. 101, were instrumental in organizing old Belmont Lodge in the Bowden-Faison section.

Union Chapter, No. 17, of York Rite Masons, and later Corinthian Chapter, No. 43, of York Rite Masons, both were organized in Kenansville and functioned well for a long time with a large membership.

On May 1, 1852, Warren Lodge, No. 101, was reorganized with the following officers: G. W. Wallace, W. M.; O. R. Kenan, S. W.; Henry Grimes, Jr., J. W.; J. H. Judge, S. D.; D. C. Maxwell, J. D.; Joseph Carr, Treasurer; William Farrior, Secretary; N. J. Farrior, Tyler. O. R. Kenan, Joseph Carr, Henry Grimes and William Farrior were appointed a committee to draft by-laws and rules of order for the government of the Lodge. The Lodge was rechartered December 9, 1852.

From report of Warren Lodge, No. 101, 1852, it is noted that the report is headed "General Returns from Warren Lodge, No. 101, Ancient York Masons."

On Feb. 10, 1855, a resolution was introduced providing that the Master of the Lodge be authorized to subscribe for and in behalf of this Lodge one hundred dollars to the Female Seminary to be built in Kenansville and the Treasurer be instructed to pay the same out of Lodge funds. This resolution was passed and adopted on March 10.

At the meeting held July 10, 1858, Brother William B. Middleton was appointed to solicit subscriptions for the purpose of building a new Lodge building.

On Jan. 8, 1859, the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved that Thomas S. Watson be allowed from the evidence he has produced of his having been entered, passed, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason by Lodge, No. 97, Edinburgh, Scotland, to be entered, passed and raised in this lodge without paying the initiation fee and be allowed membership by paying three dollars."

May 7, 1859, a motion was made and passed that Martha Hammond Abernathy be sent to school at the expense of the Lodge for one session.

Our present Lodge building was erected in 1860, and the dedication was set for Dec. 27, 1860.

The following is a copy of minutes of an unusual meeting on March 12, 1861: "The Lodge was opened in due form on the third degree of Masonry. A petition from Mr. Kedar Bryan was presented accompanied with the requisite fee of twenty dollars. For the benefit and instruction of the Lodge a dispensation was granted by Brother S. W. Neal, G. S. to receive and ballot on said petition whereupon the following committee of investigation was appointed, viz: Thomas S. Watson, Johnathan Chesnutt, and J. W. Hinson, who reported favorably. A ballot being held resulted in his election. There being no further business the Lodge was dispensed with on the third degree of Masonry and opened in due form on the first degree of Masonry. Mr. K. Bryan who had just been balloted for, being in waiting, was duly prepared, introduced and initiated as an Entered Apprentice. There being no further business before this Lodge, it was dispensed with and opened in due form on the second degree of Masonry when Bro. K. Bryan, being in waiting, was duly prepared, introduced and passed to the degree of a Fellow Craft. There being no further business before this Lodge in this degree it was dispensed with and resumed labor on the third degree of Masonry when Bro. K. Bryan being in waiting was duly prepared, introduced and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason. The Lodge then called off from labor to refreshment until seven o'clock this evening," when the Lodge resumed labor and Bro. A. H. Parker was raised.

At a meeting held Aug. 8, 1863, the following committee, William A. Allen, William Farrior, and Kedar Bryan offered this resolution: "Whereas, the Masonic Fraternity, and particularly the members of Warren Lodge, No. 101, have heard that their Brother William J. Houston, Captain of Company I, 9th Regiment, N. C. T. (1st N. C. Cavalry) was killed in the late battle near Ashby's Gap, and whereas, the members of said Lodge feel that it is due to the gallant and distinguished service of their late brother, that they should express their high appreciation of the noble qualities of head and heart of the deceased, Therefore Resolved, That this lodge, in the death of Captain Houston, has lost one of its brightest ornaments, the Masonic Fraternity one of its most distinguished members, the people at large one of their most gifted citizens and successful legislators, and the service of the Confederate States, one of its bravest, most devoted and gallant officers.

"Resolved, that in common with our fellow citizens, we deplore the loss of our distinguished brother and friend and will ever cherish a fond recollection of his noble qualities as the perfect gentleman, and hereby tender to his afflicted wife and family our heartfelt condolence in this their severe trial.

"Resolved, that the members of this Lodge will wear the usual badge of Masonic mourning for thirty days in memory of our deceased brother.

"Resolved, that the Secretary of this Lodge be requested to furnish a copy of these resolutions for publication to the Wilmington Journal, and also a copy to the afflicted wife and family of the deceased. The Raleigh Register and Fayetteville Observer will please copy and send bill to the Wilmington Journal office."

On Mar. 12, 1864, a motion was made and carried that all monies in the hands of the Secretary and Treasurer belonging to the Lodge be funded in four per cent bonds of the Confederate States.

Furney G. Simmons, father of United States Senator Furnifold M. Simmons, who was living here at that time, was initiated in the Lodge Mar. 29, 1864.

On Sept. 10, 1864, a committee consisting of William A. Allen, William Farrior, and G. W. Lamb, offered this resolution: "Whereas we have heard with pain and regret that our young and esteemed brother George Cooper, a gallant and patriotic soldier of Co. A, 43rd Regiment, N. C. T., and a beloved and respected member of this lodge, departed this life on the 27th day of May, last, in General Hospital No. 3, Richmond, Va., from the effects of a wound received in a skirmish with the enemy on the 24th, of the same month near Hanover Junction. Therefore, Be it Resolved, That in the death of our brother, this lodge has lost another of its patriotic and devoted members, a companionable and pleasant associate, masonry an ardent friend, the community in which he lived an enlightened and generous-hearted citizen, and the country one of its best soldiers, cut off in the full vigor and bloom of manhood, full of life and the prospect of bright and happy days before him, sealing his devotion to the cause of republican government with his life's blood.

"Resolved, that we tender to the deceased's family our warmest sympathy and condolence in their sad bereavement. Their great consolation should be that he died in the full discharge of patriotic duty, nobly battling for the right of his country.

"Resolved, that as a testimony of our high regard and esteem for our departed brother the members of this Lodge be requested to wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

"Resolved, that these proceedings be spread upon the records of this Lodge and communicated by the Secretary to the bereaved family of the deceased and a copy of the same be furnished to the Wilmington Journal with the request that they be published."

On Dec. 27, 1864, "Bro. H. Grimes presented his bill for expenses as delegate to the Grand Lodge amounting to \$162.50 ordered to be paid" (Confederate Money).

At a meeting on May 13, 1865, "The petition of Bro. J. Q. McGowan asking admission as member of this Lodge—being a member in good standing in Stonewall Jackson Military Lodge, No. 13, Georgia, proceeded to ballot and he was duly elected a member of this Lodge."

On July 7, 1866, a committee composed of T. S. Kenan, T. S. Watson and W. B. Middleton, offered this resolution: "Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, by the interposition of His all-wise Providence, to remove from us our friend and brother, Captain Edward Southerland, a member of this Lodge, who died the 30th of September, 1865.

"Therefore, Be it Resolved, that in the untimely death of our brother, we recognize the Power of Him, in whose hands alone are the issues of life and death; And while we bow with humble submission to His decree, we shall ever cherish in our hearts those sentiments of esteem and friendship, with which the life and character of our deceased brother have impressed us.

"Resolved, That in his premature death, our fraternity has been bereft of a truly devoted member, and our country, in defense of which, he has so often, and so bravely periled his life, as one of its truest soldiers, has lost a citizen, whose career of usefulness had comparatively just begun, and whose prospects for long and happy life were so flattering.

"Resolved, That we tender our warmest sympathies to the relations and friends of our deceased brother—and that we wear the usual badge of mourning in respect to his memory."

On Sept. 7, 1867, "A petition from Bros. J. J. Ward, W. N. Ellsworth, James W. Boney, D. T. McMillan, J. C. McMillan, J. E. Fussell, John W. Peterson, Jos. Sells, E. T. Pigford, and J. J. McMillan asking this Lodge to recommend their petition to the Most Worshipful Grand Master of North Carolina for a dispensation to open and hold a Lodge at Teachey's Depot—this Lodge having satisfied itself of the efficiency of the officers named in said petition, do recommend to the said Most Worshipful Grand Master to grant their prayer of the petition."

On Dec. 19, 1871, at the request of the family the Lodge conducted a Masonic funeral for Thos. J. Kinnear, a non affiliate.

The Lodge was deeded to Brother W. B. Middleton in 1873 due to fact that the members were not able to pay debt on the building.

In 1873 there were seventy-four members of Warren Lodge, No. 101.

The Lodge was purchased from Brother W. B. Middleton in 1875.

During 1882 the Lodge became dormant again.

In 1897 the following made application to the Grand Lodge for the restoration of the Charter of Warren Lodge, No. 101: Isaac B. Kelly, Albert F. Williams, James M. Archer, Jas. W. Blount, S. O. Middleton, T. M. Lee, B. C. Bowden, Henry C. Moore, D. J. Middleton, L. Hussey, J. D. Stanford and J. D. Southerland.

On May 3, 1897, Walter E. Moore, Grand Master, issued dispensation restoring to Warren Lodge, No. 101, its Charter, jewels, books, furniture and all property to which it was entitled at the same time of forfeiture of Charter.

By virtue of the foregoing dispensation the brethren therein named met in their hall in Kenansville on the 21st day of May, 1897, and organized by electing the following officers: T. M. Lee, W. M.; James W. Blount, S. W.; J. D. Southerland, J. W.; S. O. Middleton, Treasurer; A. F. Williams, Secretary. The Worshipful Master then appointed the following officers, viz.: James M. Archer, S. D.; I. B. Kelly, J. D.; B. C. Bowden, Tyler.

At a special communication of the Lodge Dec. 16, 1897, the following visiting brethren were present: C. B. Aycock (later Governor of North Carolina); I. G. Lee, and A. J. Harvell from Wayne Lodge, No. 112, Goldsboro; H. E. Faison, Hiram Lodge, No. 98, Clinton; and J. C. McMillan of Rehoboth Lodge, No. 279, Rosehill.

Aug. 21, 1903, the Lodge donated \$15.00 to Warsaw Lodge. (This was just after the organization of the Warsaw Lodge). Members who demitted to form Warsaw Lodge were: H. G. Owens, E. J. Hill, S. A. Strickland, D. E. Best, J. A. Powell, H. S. Boyette, J. F. Bell and S. R. Bowden.

On Nov. 21, 1911, the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, that permission is hereby given Rehoboth Lodge, No. 279, A. F. & A. M., at Teachey's, N. C., to move their Lodge to Rosehill, N. C."

Warren Lodge became dormant again in 1918, and was reorganized as Warren Lodge, No. 639, in December, 1919.

On February 17, 1919, the Grand Lodge of N. C., met in Special Communication in Kenansville and instituted Warren Lodge, No. 639, and installed the officers.

Grand Officers were as follows: M. W. Henry A. Grady, G. M.; R. W. J. E. Williams, D. G. M.; R. W. J. L. Nelson, S. G. W.; R. W. R. D. Johnson, J. G. W.; R. W. Geo. R. Ward, G. Treasurer; R. W. E. D. Williams, Grand Sec.; R. W. C. D. Chesnutt, Grand Chaplain; J. L. Nelson, Grand Lecturer; W. H. Williams, S. G. Deacon; W. G. Kornegay, J. G. Deacon; J. E. Westbrook, Grand Marshal; N. B. Grady, G. Sword Bearer; Rufus Stroud, G. Pursuivant; J. J. Bowden, G. Steward; S. R. Chesnutt, G. Steward; and W. D. Terry, Grand Tiler. All officers were serving pro tempore except the M. W. Grand Master and Grand Tiler.

The officers of the new Lodge were: A. F. Williams, W. M.; H. D. Williams, S. W.; N. B. Grady, J. W.; M. F. Westbrook, Treasurer; J. J. Bowden, Secretary; W. G. Kornegay, S. D.; C. D. Chesnutt, J. D.; W. F. Smith and S. R. Chesnutt, Stewards; Henry W. Dail, Tiler.

A district meeting was held with our Lodge Oct. 26, 1926, with District Deputy Grand Master L. Southerland, of Wallace, presiding.

During the Masonic year 1922-23 permission was given Beulaville Lodge to get a Charter.

The Ninth District meeting was held with our Lodge Dec. 3, 1931, which was presided over by one of our members, Brother D. M. Jolly, D. D. G. M. After Brother Jolly's death in 1932, Brother James E. Jerritt was appointed to fill out his unexpired term as District Deputy Grand Master, and served another term the next year.

At the Grand Lodge meeting in 1932 our old number, 101, was restored to us. Representatives to the Grand Lodge this year were: G. V. Gooding, J. L. Williams and F. W. McGowen.

During the year 1931-32, mainly through the efforts of our Worshipful Master, Dr. G. V. Gooding and Brother James J. Bowden (former Register of Deeds and Tax Collector of Duplin County), the Lodge repurchased the old Lodge Hall from the heirs of Brother S. O. Middleton, who had come into possession of it. The building was renovated and repaired and the Lodge entered into a new era of progress. Those contributing to the fund with which to repurchase and renovate the building were as follows: G. K. Aldridge, J. E. Jerritt, W. E. Belanga, D. F. McGowen, S. L. Ferrell, I. C. Burch, G. V. Gooding, J. O. Stokes, F. W. McGowen, A. R. Chesnutt, D. S. Williamson, J. B. Wallace, F. J. Baars, J. W. Shaffer, J. L. Williams, J. J. Bowden, C. E. Quinn, L. D. Dail, S. B. Hunter.

The lower floor of the building was let to the Woman's Club to be used for a Community building.

In 1933 Victory Lodge, No. 642, Pink Hill, N. C., with permission of the Grand Lodge, consolidated with Warren Lodge, No. 101, the officers of Warren Lodge, No. 101, remaining as the officers of the consolidated Lodge. The following members were received from Victory Lodge: J. F. Tyndall, B. B. Holder, O. A. Gardner, W. R. Gooding, F. D. Gooding, W. J. Grady, R. P. Holt, S. W. Harper, W. G. Kornegay, Thad Kornegay, Alvin Kornegay, H. D. Maxwell, Magnus Outlaw, Marvin Simons, John Ivey Smith, Albert Smith, G. A. Stroud, M. W. Sutton, J. M. Turner, J. A. Worley, and John F. Southerland.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge in 1933 in Asheville, our old records were restored to us. Representatives at the Grand Lodge were: G. V. Gooding, J. L. Williams and G. K. Aldridge.

In 1935 the Lodge again resumed the practice of serving dinners once a month before the First Thursday night meetings. This has continued, and has been deemed beneficial in helping to create and hold interest.

Our annual Ladies' Night and installation of Officers is the First Thursday in January. The annual picnic is held the First Thursday afternoon in September each year at Maxwell's Mill.

During 1935 the following members of Warsaw Lodge, No. 522 (which had become dormant), became members of our Lodge: R. D. Johnson, R. E. L. Wheelis, B. C. Sheffield, W. E. Hines, Dr. J. M. Williams, John M. Pierce, R. W. Blackmore, A. Brooks, A. L. Humphrey, R. E. Wall, W. E. Taylor, W. A. Blanchard, B. C. Siske, and M. H. Hodges.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge in 1936, our old name and number, ST. JOHN'S LODGE, NO. 13, was restored to us with all of its rights and privileges. The representatives at the Grand Lodge were: G. V. Gooding, W. R. Gooding, J. M. Brock, A. T. Outlaw, R. D. Johnson, A. J. Blanton, and F. W. McGowen.

A district meeting was held here July 30, 1936, H. McN. Johnson, District Deputy Grand Master, presiding.

In 1937 the Lodge sponsored the organization of an Eastern Star Chapter, and Kenansville Chapter, No. 215, was organized with twenty-five members. The Chapter is progressing steadily, having attained the honor of being a Gold Star Chapter for the past two years.

At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in 1938, our Lodge had the honor of exemplifying the Third Degree. The Lodge received special commendation from the Grand Master, Past Grand Masters, Grand Lodge Officers and others present. Brother Percy C. Stott, Assistant Grand Lecturer, coached the Degree Team, which was composed of the following: A. J. Blanton, W. M.; I. C. Burch, S. W.; G. M. Honeycutt, J. W.; J. M. Brock, S. D.; R. C. Wells, J. D.; A. Q. Brinson and J. O. Smith, Stewards; E. C. Newton, Tyler; H. D. Maxwell, Jr., Dempsey Smith, Earl Smith, A. J. Dickson, O. P. Johnson, C. H. Walker, E. A. Howton, L. L. Rogers, P. E. Shoulars, Paul Williams, Jasper Tyn-dall, W. R. Gooding, J. H. Byrd, Alvin Kornegay. F. W. McGowen gave the lecture.

Dr. G. V. Gooding served as a member of the Oxford Orphanage Committee in 1935 and in 1936, having been appointed by the Grand Lodge.

Our Lodge contributes liberally to the Oxford Orphanage and entertains the Singing Class annually.

F. W. McGowen served as Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan, Canada, in 1938 and in 1939, by appointment of the Grand Lodge.

In 1940 Twenty-five Year Continuous Service Membership Certificates were presented by Past Master J. E. Jerritt, to the following: R. G. Maxwell, W. A. Westbrook, J. L. Williams, R. W. Blackmore, Rivers D. Johnson, H. D. Maxwell, Sr., W. R. Gooding, Henry W. Dail, Dr. J. M. Williams, S. B. Hunter, and S. W. Harper.

During 1940 mainly through the efforts of the Master, G. M. Honeycutt, thirty-seven pictures of Past Masters were secured and placed on the walls of the Lodge.

On January 2, 1941, the Master, J. M. Brock, appointed the following general committee to arrange for our Sesqui-Centennial Celebration, June 25, 1941: J. M. Brock, R. C. Wells, A. Q. Brinson, G. V. Gooding,

J. E. Jerritt, F. W. McGowen, W. R. Gooding, O. P. Johnson, E. W. Sadler and D. Y. Hollingsworth. This committee arranged the following program:

SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 1941, 8:00 P. M.

KENANSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Masonic Sermon by REV. C. K. PROCTOR

WEDNESDAY, JUNE, 25, 1941, 4:30 P. M.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION OF ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 13,
SESQUI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

8:00 P. M.

KENANSVILLE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

BANQUET

Address by GOVERNOR J. MELVILLE BROUGHTON

Our Lodge meetings are well attended and we have a large, active membership. As in the past, the membership includes those of the community who are actively associated with the progress of the country.

As we wear the badge of our Order, we can sing with the Poet Laureate of the Craft:

*"There's mony a badge that's unco braw,
Wi' ribbon, lace and tape on,
Let Kings and Princes wear them a,
Gie me the Master's apron!"*

Historical Data

1791

James Kenan, W. M.; Charles Ward, S. W.; Patrick Newton, J. W.; Thomas Routledge, Sr., Treasurer; George Morisey, Secretary; John Armstrong, Tyler.

Charter Members: Michael Molton, Edward Harris, Daniel Harris, John Beck, John McIlwinea, Thomas Routledge, Jr.

The following members were added: Rigdon Bryan, William Wilkinson, Sr., William Higgins, Claborne Ivey, Owen O'Daniel, David Murdock, John Barfield, John Hurst, Nathaniel McCanne, Samuel Houston, John Linton, David Slocumb, Geo. P. Linton, Thomas J. Kinnear, Thomas Wright, Laomi Stevens, Holden McGee, Thomas Ivey, Stephen Beck, William Wilkinson, Jr., Meschek Stallings, Shadrack Stallings, James Pheobus, George McDonald, David Wright, William Beck, Jr., James K. Hill, John Wilkinson, O. L. Kelly, William J. Price.

1801

Thomas Wright, W. M.; Thomas Routledge, Secretary.

The following members were reported: Thomas Routledge, Sr., James Kenan, Charles Ward, Nathan Fryar, Daniel Glisson, Michael Molton, Claborn Ivey, Thomas Kenan, William Higgins, John Linton, Nathaniel McCanne, Samuel Houston, William Wilkinson, Abraham Molton, Holden McGee, Thomas Finley, Thomas Wright, Owen O'Daniel, Laomi Stevens, David Slocumb, Thomas Ivey, John Barfield, John Hurst, John Beck, Stephen Beck.

1831

James K. Hill, W. M.; Williams Cooper, S. W.; O. L. Kelly, J. W.; William J. Price, Secretary; John Wilkinson, Treasurer; Samuel Houston, S. D.; Samuel Stanford, J. D.; Wm. H. Hansley, Tyler.

Members: Thos. J. Kinnear, John Linton, John Hurst, Owen O'Daniel, Thomas Routledge, Jr., Thomas Kenan, W. H. Hurst.

Raised: A. T. Stanford, Chas H. Cooper, Hogan Hunter, Thomas J. Kenan.

1832

William J. Price, W. M.; James K. Hill, S. W.; O. L. Kelly, J. W.; James Lawson, Sec.; John Wilkinson, Treas., Samuel Houston, S. D.; Samuel Stanford, J. D.; Wm. H. Hansley, Tyler.

1833

1834

William J. Price, W. M.; Isaac B. Kelly, S. W.; James K. Hill, J. W. William H. Hurst, Sec.; John Wilkinson, Treas.; O. R. Kenan, S. D.; H. Sullivan, J. D.; W. H. Hansley, Tyler.

Members reported: Thomas J. Kenan, Jno. E. Hussey, Jno. Farrior, Nicholas Hall, Hogan Hunter, Jno. J. Hurst, C. O. Hurst, James Lawson, Jr., A. G. Hill.

1835

William J. Price, W. M.; Isaac B. Kelly, S. W.; James K. Hill, J. W.; William H. Hurst, Sec.; John Wilkinson, Treas.; O. R. Kenan, S. D.; H. Sullivan, J. D.; W. H. Hansley, Tyler.

1836

O. R. Kenan, W. M.; W. J. Price, S. W.; Isaac B. Kelly, J. W.; W. H. Hurst, Sec.; Jno. Wilkinson, Treas.; A. G. Hill, S. D.; H. Sullivan, J. D.; W. H. Hansley, Tyler.

1837

O. R. Kenan, W. M.; Isaac B. Kelly, S. W.; Samuel Stanford, J. W.; Hampton Sullivan, Sec.; Nicholas Hill, Treas.; A. G. Hill, S. D.; Samuel Houston, J. D.; W. H. Hansley, Tyler.

1838

O. R. Kenan, W. M.; Isaac B. Kelly, S. W.; Samuel Stanford, J. W.; Hampton Sullivan, Sec.; Nicholas Hill, Treas.; A. G. Hill, S. D.; Samuel Houston, J. D.; W. H. Hansley, Tyler.

1852

G. W. Wallace, W. M.; O. R. Kenan, S. W.; Henry Grimes, J. W.; J. H. Judge, S. D.; D. C. Maxwell, J. D.; William Farrior, Sec.; Joseph Carr, Treas.; N. J. Farrior, Tyler.

Other Charter Members: W. Hill and Joseph J. Ward.

Admitted to membership: J. M. Hall and George Smith.

Raised: P. Merritt, W. R. Ward, Jacob Carr, Thos. J. Carr, James Southerland.

1853

O. R. Kenan, W. M.; Henry Grimes, S. W.; W. R. Ward, J. W.; William Farrior, Sec.; J. Carr, Treas.; I. H. Judge, S. D.; D. C. Maxwell, J. D.; N. J. Farrior, Tyler.

Admitted to membership: James G. Branch, Lewis G. Bass, and John J. Bizzell.

Raised: Gibson L. Carr, James D. Pearsall, Johnathan Murray, William Kennedy.

Demitted: James Southerland and Jacob Carr.

1854

Henry Grimes, W. M.; T. J. Carr, S. W.; William Farrior, J. W.; William R. Ward, Sec.; O. R. Kenan, Treas.; N. J. Farrior, S. D.; Gibson S. Carr, J. D.; Jas. D. Pearsall, Tyler.

Raised: A. Boyette, J. W. Peterson, Johnathan P. Charles, J. J. Whitehead, William J. Houston, J. E. Swinson, F. H. Simms, Benjamin Witherington, O. Herring.

Demitted: W. R. Ward.

1855

William Farrior, W. M.; N. J. Farrior, S. W.; T. J. Carr, J. W.; Joe Carr, Sec.; L. G. Bass, Treas.; T. H. Simms, S. D.; J. W. Hall, J. D.; J. P. Charles, Tyler.

Admitted to membership: G. W. Lamb, James Cannon.

Raised: Geo. Taylor, William H. Murray, J. D. Abernathy.

Demitted: J. D. Pearsall.

1856

Henry Grimes, W. M.; T. J. Carr, S. W.; J. J. Bizzell, J. W.; William Farrior, Sec.; N. J. Farrior, Treas.; J. P. Charles, S. D.; J. D. Abernethy, J. D.; G. Smith, Tyler.

Raised: J. D. Stanford, T. E. Shepard.

Demitted: T. H. Simms.

1857

Jas. G. Branch, W. M.; W. J. Houston, S. W.; Henry Grimes, J. W.; William Farrior, Sec.; J. J. Whitehead, Treas.; N. J. Farrior, S. D.; J. D. Abernethy, J. D.; J. P. Charles, Tyler.

Raised: J. H. Brewer, C. B. Whitehead, W. Sasser, Johnathan Chesnutt, Jesse Lanier, D. M. McIntire.

Demitted: Johnathan Murray.

1858

Nicholas Farrior, W. M.; J. D. Stanford, S. W.; D. M. McIntire, J. W.; J. D. Whitehead, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; Henry Grimes, S. D.; I. H. Judge, J. D.; L. G. Bass, Tyler.

Raised: Abner Robinson, A. M. Rackley, W. B. Middleton, S. A. Strickland, Bryan Casey, George Cooper, Hugh Maxwell, Thomas Faison, W. W. Whitehead, Chas. H. Harris.

Died: A. Boyette.

1859

Henry Grimes, W. M.; W. B. Middleton, S. W.; J. P. Charles, J. W.; D. M. McIntire, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; L. G. Bass, S. D.; Geo. Cooper, J. D.; A. M. Rackley, Tyler.

Raised: J. E. Hussey, T. S. Watson, R. D. Jones, J. H. Maxwell, J. D. Southerland.

Demitted: D. M. McIntire, J. G. Branch, J. H. Peterson.

1860

W. B. Middleton, W. M.; J. D. Stanford, S. W.; T. J. Carr, J. W.; J. D. Southerland, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; L. G. Bass, S. D.; A. M. Rackley, J. D.; J. H. Maxwell, Tyler.

Admitted to membership: D. M. McIntire, Jno. W. Hinson.

Raised: Edward Southerland.

Demitted: B. Witherington, W. H. Murray, J. W. Hall.

1861

William Farrior, W. M.; J. D. Southerland, S. W.; Ed. Southerland, J. W.; D. M. McIntire, Sec.; Jno. W. Hinson, Treas.; Henry Grimes, S. D.; L. G. Bass, J. D.; Thos. S. Watson, Tyler.

Raised: A. H. Parker, Kedar Bryan, William A. Allen.

Demitted: J. H. Judge.

Died: J. P. Charles.

1862

William Farrior, W. M.; J. D. Southerland, S. W.; Ed. Southerland, J. W.; D. M. McIntire, Sec.; Jno. W. Hinson, Treas.; Henry Grimes, S. D.; L. G. Bass, J. D.; Thomas S. Watson, Tyler.

Demitted: C. H. Harris.

1863

No election of officers. J. D. Southerland, W. M., pro tem and Thos. S. Watson, Sec., pro tem.

Raised: G. M. Middleton, D. J. Middleton, David Brown, J. W. Swinson, M. W. Brown, G. A. Newell, George Southall, R. J. Pearsall, D. Mallard, Bryant Brown, Jacob James, D. T. McMillan, R. M. Middleton, J. D. Pearsall.

Admitted to membership: J. A. McArthur.

Died: W. J. Houston.

1864

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; K. Bryan, S. W.; J. Chesnutt, J. W.; G. A. Newell, Sec.; J. W. Hinson, Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; D. Brown, J. D.; J. W. Swinson, Tyler.

Admitted to membership: W. J. Newell, J. J. Davis.

Raised: J. M. Boney, T. J. Forlaw, John Howard, Jesse Southerland, T. J. Bostic, H. Brown, F. G. Simmons, David Farrior, M. M. Perry, T. H. Poe, D. M. Pearsall, Anthony Davis, H. Winders, R. S. Chesnutt, Chérons Poe, J. J. Edwards, J. H. N. Cornehlson.

Suspended: George Smith, Jno. E. Swinson, James Cannon, P. Merritt, O. Herring, B. Casey.

Died: George Cooper.

1865

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; D. J. Middleton, S. W.; J. Chesnutt, J. W.; G. A. Newell, Sec.; J. W. Hinson, Treas.; H. Grimes, S. D.; D. Mallard, J. D.; G. A. Southall, Tyler.

Admitted: James Maxwell, R. H. Forlaw.

Raised: A. F. Williams, Wm. H. Williams, Thos. Hall, R. J. Best, Dr. L. Hussey, L. R. Carroll, Rev. D. P. Nicholson, Thos. S. Kenan, Rev. G. S. Best, Jno. C. Mallard, S. D. Farrior, P. C. Oates.

1866

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; D. J. Middleton, S. W.; L. Hussey, J. W.; Dickson Mallard, Sec.; W. H. Williams, Treas.; Thos. S. Kenan, S. D.; A. F. Williams, J. D.; G. A. Southall, Tyler.

Raised: B. F. Cobb, C. M. Boney, John Fussell.

Died: D. P. Nicholson, Edward Southerland.

Demitted: R. S. Chesnutt, R. J. Pearsall.

1867

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; N. J. Farrior, S. W.; J. B. Southerland, J. W.; Dickson Mallard, Sec.; W. H. Williams, Treas.; T. S. Kenan, S. D.; T. J. Carr, J. D.; T. J. Bostic, Tyler.

Raised: S. B. Woodmansen.

Died: Jno. Howard.

Demitted: J. A. McArthur, J. H. N. Cornehlson, P. C. Oates, J. J. Ward, W. N. Elsworth, Joe Wells, E. T. Pigford, J. M. Boney, J. E. Fussell, D. J. McMillan, I. C. McMillan, Jno. W. Peterson, J. J. McMillan.

1868

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; D. M. McIntire, S. W.; W. A. Allen, J. W.; Dickson Mallard, Sec.; D. Farrior, Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; J. Q. McGowen, J. D.; R. H. Forlaw, Tyler.

Raised: Major Strickland and J. K. Outlaw.

1869

D. J. Middleton, W. M.; W. A. Allen, S. W.; J. Chesnutt, J. W.; Dickson Mallard, Sec.; W. H. Williams, Treas.; N. J. Farrior, S. D.; T. S. Watson, J. D.; R. H. Forlaw, Tyler.

Raised: J. E. Matthews.

Demitted: L. Hussey, David Farrior, H. Grimes, B. J. Pearsall.

1870

W. A. Allen, W. M.; T. C. Carr, S. W.; J. E. Matthews, J. W.; Dickson Mallard, Sec.; W. H. Williams, Treas.; J. D. Southerland, S. D.; T. S. Watson, J. D.; R. H. Forlaw, Tyler.

Died: S. B. Woodmansen.

Suspended: J. J. Davis.

1871

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; J. E. Matthews, S. W.; T. J. Forlaw, J. W.; D. M. McIntire, Sec.; T. S. Watson, Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; D. M. Pearsall, J. D.; G. A. Southall, Tyler.

Demitted: T. S. Kenan, F. G. Simmons.

Died: T. J. Kinnear.

1872

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; S. D. Farrior, S. W.; J. K. Outlaw, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; W. H. Williams, Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; D. M. Pearsall, J. D.; G. A. Southall, Tyler.

Raised: Isaac B. Kelly, O. H. Allen, J. W. Farrior, R. W. Hargrove.

Admitted: J. A. McArthur, L. Hussey, I. C. M. Loftin, H. Grimes.

Demitted: A. M. Rackley.

1873

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; J. E. Matthews, S. W.; J. W. Farrior, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; O. H. Allen, S. D.; R. W. Hargrove, J. D.; R. H. Forlaw, Tyler.

Raised: J. E. Westbrook, A. T. Stanford, G. W. Elmore, J. J. West, J. W. McGee, W. T. Bedsole.

Admitted: K. Bryan, James Southerland, G. C. Harris, David Farrior.

Demitted: J. W. Boney, W. H. Farrior.

Died: James Maxwell.

Suspended: R. J. Best, Anthony Davis, J. E. Hussey, H. G. Maxwell, J. C. Mallard, Dickson Mallard, W. T. Newell, A. H. Parker, R. J. Pearsall, A. F. Williams, J. J. Whitehead, G. W. Lamb, Major Strickland, Abner Robinson.

1874

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; J. E. Matthews, S. W.; O. H. Allen, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; R. W. Hargrove, S. D.; I. B. Kelly, J. D.; David Farrior, Tyler.

Raised: S. D. Ferrell.

Demitted: B. F. Cobb, G. C. Garris, W. H. Williams.

Suspended: G. A. Newell, G. W. Middleton.

1875

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; J. E. Matthews, S. W.; R. W. Hargrove, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; O. H. Allen, S. D.; I. B. Kelly, J. D.; David Farrior, Tyler.

Died: Thomas Hall.

1876

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; J. E. Matthews, S. W.; R. W. Hargrove, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; Johnathan Chesnutt, Treas.; O. H. Allen, S. D.; I. B. Kelly, J. D.; D. Farrior, Tyler.

Raised: F. E. Register, P. H. Kornegay.

Demitted: L. Hussey.

Suspended: J. W. Farrior.

Died: Johnathan Chesnutt, J. J. Edwards.

1877

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; O. H. Allen, S. W.; J. Q. McGowen, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; I. B. Kelly, Treas.; R. W. Hargrove, S. D.; J. E. Westbrook, J. D.; D. Farrior, Tyler.

Demitted: S. D. Farrior, J. E. Matthews, H. Grimes.

1878

J. D. Southerland, W. M.; S. O. Middleton, S. W.; J. E. Westbrook, J. W.; Thos. S. Watson, Sec.; I. B. Kelly, Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; J. Q. McGowen, J. D.; F. E. Register, Tyler.

Raised: T. P. Ricaud.

Admitted to membership: J. J. Harvell.

Demitted: B. Witherington.

Died: J. A. McArthur.

1879

O. H. Allen, W. M.; T. S. Watson, S. W.; P. H. Kornegay, J. W.; I. B. Kelly, Jr., Sec.; I. B. Kelly, Sr., Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; J. Q. McGowen, J. D.; J. J. Harvell, Tyler.

Demitted: W. T. Bedsole.

Died: William Farrior.

1880

O. H. Allen, W. M.; T. S. Watson, S. W.; P. H. Kornegay, J. W.; R. W. Hargrove, Sec.; I. B. Kelly, Sr., Treas.; J. D. Stanford, S. D.; J. Q. McGowen, J. D.; J. J. Harvell, Tyler.

Admitted: Rev. A. D. Betts.

Demitted: S. O. Middleton, M. W. Brown.

1881

Thos. S. Watson, W. M.; O. H. Allen, S. W.; P. H. Kornegay, J. W.; R. W. Hargrove, Sec.; I. B. Kelly, Sr., Treas.; D. J. Middleton, S. D.; J. Q. McGowen, J. D.; F. E. Register, Tyler.

1882

Lodge became dormant.

1897

T. M. Lee, W. M.; James W. Blount, S. W.; J. D. Southerland, J. W.; S. O. Middleton, Treas.; A. F. Williams, Sec.; James M. Archer, S. D.; I. B. Kelly, J. D.; B. C. Bowden, Tyler.

Admitted: J. C. Spell, Jno. W. Swinson.

1898

J. M. Archer, W. M.; J. O. Carr, S. W.; R. V. Lancaster, J. W.; J. D. Southerland, Sec.; A. F. Williams, Treas.; W. L. Grimes, S. D.; J. D. Stanford, J. D.; B. C. Bowden, Tyler.

Raised: T. J. Kelly.

Demitted: T. M. Lee, J. W. Swinson.

1899

J. O. Carr, W. M.; W. L. Grimes, S. W.; A. F. Williams, J. W.; T. J. Kelly, Sec.; S. B. Newton, Treas.; B. C. Bowden, Tyler.

1900

J. M. Archer, W. M.; A. F. Williams, S. W.; S. B. Newton, J. W.; P. H. Kornegay, Sec.; D. J. Middleton, Treas.; T. J. Kelly, S. D.; J. D. Stanford, J. D.; I. B. Kelly, Tyler.

Raised: L. A. Beasley, G. A. Outlaw.

Demitted: R. V. Lancaster.

1901

J. M. Archer, W. M.; L. A. Beasley, S. W.; A. F. Williams, J. W.; P. H. Kornegay, Sec.; S. B. Newton, Treas.; T. J. Kelly, S. D.; J. D. Stanford, J. D.; G. A. Outlaw, Tyler.

Raised: S. R. Bowden, A. T. Hocutt, Herbert Smith, J. E. Johnson, J. J. Bowden, E. J. Hill, Leonidas Middleton, J. E. Pollock, J. F. Bell, D. L. Carlton, H. S. Boyette, D. E. Best, H. F. Pierce, L. P. Best, W. L. Hill, A. F. Williams, Jr., H. G. Owens, O. H. Kenan, J. A. Powell, J. N. Johnson, A. G. Mosley, S. B. Moore, F. L. Faison, C. E. Hussey.

Admitted: J. J. Harvell, O. H. Allen.

Demitted: A. P. Brown, S. A. Strickland.

1902

L. A. Beasley, W. M.; A. F. Williams, S. W.; Herbert Smith, J. W.; A. T. Hocutt, Sec.; S. B. Newton, Treas.; S. R. Bowden, S. D.; A. F. Williams, J. D.; L. Middleton, Tyler.

Raised: H. L. Stevens, M. F. Westbrook.

1903

L. A. Beasley, W. M.; A. F. Williams, S. W.; L. Middleton, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; S. B. Newton, Treas.; S. R. Bowden, S. D.; H. G. Owen, J. D.; G. A. Outlaw, Tyler.

Raised: J. H. Newberry, J. E. Horner.

Demitted: J. O. Carr, H. G. Owens, H. S. Boyette, J. F. Bell, D. E. Best, S. R. Bowden, J. A. Powell, E. J. Hill.

1904

Same officers as in 1903.

Died: D. J. Middleton.

Demitted: J. M. Archer.

1905

Same officers as in 1904.

Demitted: W. L. Grimes.

1906-1909

Same officers as in 1905.

1910 and 1911

L. A. Beasley, W. M.; A. F. Williams, S. W.; P. H. Kornegay, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; T. J. Kelly, S. D.; L. Middleton, J. D.; G. A. Outlaw, Tyler.

Raised: John A. Gavin, H. D. Williams, N. B. Grady, F. E. Wallace, Dr. T. O. Coppedge, Henry W. Dail.

Admitted: D. H. Wallace.

Demitted: A. F. Williams, Jr.

1912

Same officers as in 1911.

1913

L. A. Beasley, W. M.; T. J. Kelly, S. W.; H. D. Williams, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; M. F. Westbrook, Treas.; N. B. Grady, S. D.; F. E. Wallace, J. D.; D. H. Wallace, Tyler.

Raised: Robert James.

Demitted: S. B. Newton.

Died: P. H. Kornegay.

1914 and 1915

No meetings.

1916

T. J. Kelly, W. M.; N. B. Grady, S. W.; F. E. Wallace, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; M. F. Westbrook, Treas.; H. D. Williams, S. D.; Jno. A. Gavin, J. D.; H. W. Dail, Tyler.

Raised: W. J. Middleton.

Demitted: J. N. Johnson, Herbert Smith.

Lodge became dormant.

1919

A. F. Williams, W. M.; H. D. Williams, S. W.; N. B. Grady, J. W.; M. F. Westbrook, Treas.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; W. G. Kornegay, S. D.; C. D. Chesnutt, J. D.; W. F. Smith, and S. R. Chesnutt, Stewards; Henry W. Dail, Tyler.

Charter Members: G. A. Outlaw, W. A. Westbrook, J. E. Pollock, Rufus Stroud, I. E. Westbrook, J. E. Westbrook, L. Middleton.

Admitted: J. L. Williams, W. J. Middleton, J. E. Jerritt, F. E. Wallace.

Demitted: F. E. Wallace.

1919-1920

H. D. Williams, W. M.; N. B. Grady, S. W.; S. R. Chesnutt, J. W.; J. L. Williams, Sec.; L. Middleton, Treas.; G. A. Outlaw, S. D.; C. D. Chesnutt, J. D.; H. W. Dail, Tyler.

Admitted: J. C. Spell.

Demitted: W. G. Kornegay.

1920-1921

H. D. Williams, W. M.; N. B. Grady, S. W.; S. R. Chesnutt, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; G. A. Outlaw, S. D.; C. D. Chesnutt, J. D.; W. A. Westbrook, Tyler.

Raised: G. K. Aldridge, G. C. Newsome, Manley Whaley.

Admitted: D. M. Jolly, T. O. Coppedge.

Demitted: T. O. Coppedge.

1921-1922

D. M. Jolly, W. M.; J. E. Jerritt, S. W.; G. E. Newsome, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; J. L. Williams, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; W. A. Westbrook, Tyler.

Raised: C. E. Stephens, E. F. Southerland, A. R. Chesnutt.

1922-1923

J. E. Jerritt, W. M.; J. L. Williams, S. W.; S. R. Chesnutt, J. W.; C. E. Stephens, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas., G. E. Newsome, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; E. F. Southerland, Tyler.

Raised: Sam Ingram, F. J. Baars, H. L. Jones, G. R. Dail, S. L. Ferrell, C. E. Quinn, W. J. Pickett.

1923-1924

D. M. Jolly, W. M.; Sam H. Ingram, S. W.; G. K. Aldridge, J. W.; H. D. Williams, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. R. Dail, J. D.; C. E. Quinn, Tyler.

Raised: H. T. Wooten.

Died: L. Middleton.

1924-1925

J. L. Williams, W. M.; S. H. Ingram, S. W.; G. R. Dail, J. W.; C. E. Quinn, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; A. R. Chesnutt, Tyler.

Admitted: Dr. D. H. Reed.

Raised: D. S. Williamson, W. M. Ingram, W. T. Stillman.

1925-1926

D. H. Reed, W. M.; F. J. Baars, S. W.; E. F. Southerland, J. W.; J. J. Bowden, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; C. E. Quinn, J. D.; G. K. Aldridge, Tyler.

Died: A. F. Williams, Sr.

1926-1927

H. D. Williams, W. M.; D. M. Jolly, S. W.; C. D. Chesnutt, J. W.; C. E. Quinn, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; A. R. Chesnutt, Tyler.

Raised: Alton Whaley.

1927-1928

H. D. Williams, W. M.; D. M. Jolly, S. W.; S. L. Ferrell, J. W.; C. E. Quinn, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; G. K. Aldridge, S. D.; D. S. Williamson, J. D.; A. R. Chesnutt, Tyler.

Raised: F. W. McGowen.

1928-1929

S. L. Ferrell, W. M.; D. S. Williamson, S. W.; C. E. Quinn, J. W.; F. W. McGowen, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; D. M. Jolly, S. D.; J. L. Williams, J. D.; G. K. Aldridge, Tyler.

Demitted: Dr. D. H. Reed, Manley Whaley.

1929-1930

J. E. Jerritt, W. M.; D. S. Williamson, S. W.; D. M. Jolly, J. W.; F. W. McGowen, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; C. E. Stephens, Tyler.

Raised: J. D. Howell, J. W. Shaffer, Lawton E. Brown.

Admitted: Dr. G. V. Gooding.

Demitted: Sam H. Ingram.

1930-1931

J. E. Jerritt, W. M.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, S. W.; J. L. Williams, J. W.; F. W. McGowen, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; C. E. Stephens, Tyler.

Raised: W. E. Belanga.

1931-1932

Dr. G. V. Gooding, W. M.; J. L. Williams, S. W.; D. S. Williamson, J. W.; F. W. McGowen, Sec.; H. W. Dail, Treas.; S. L. Ferrell, S. D.; G. K. Aldridge, J. D.; W. E. Belanga, Tyler.

Raised: J. O. Stokes, I. C. Burch, D. F. McGowen, E. L. Reed, J. B. Wallace, Lawrence Southerland, J. B. Brown, E. A. Newton, P. J. Heath, L. D. Dail, R. C. Wells, A. T. Outlaw, S. H. Grady.

Admitted: S. B. Hunter, W. J. Middleton, T. H. Atkinson.

Suspended: W. T. Stillman, H. D. Williams.

Died: D. M. Jolly, J. J. Bowden.

1933

J. L. Williams, W. M.; D. S. Williamson, S. W.; F. W. McGowen, J. W.; J. O. Stokes, Sec.; J. B. Wallace, Treas.; G. K. Aldridge, S. D.; I. C. Burch, J. D.; C. E. Stephens, Tyler.

Admitted: K. W. Winstead, A. J. Blanton, N. B. Boney, John A. Gavin, B. B. Holder, O. A. Gardner, W. R. Gooding, F. D. Gooding, W. J. Grady, R. P. Holt, S. W. Harper, W. G. Kornegay, Thad Kornegay, Alvin Kornegay, H. D. Maxwell, R. G. Maxwell, Magnus Outlaw, Marvin Simmons, J. I. Smith, Albert Smith, G. A. Stroud, M. W. Sutton, G. M. Turner, J. F. Tyndall, J. F. Southerland.

Demitted: W. M. Ingram, J. F. Tyndall.

1934

D. S. Williamson, W. M.; F. W. McGowen, S. W.; W. R. Gooding, J. W.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, Sec.; J. B. Wallace, Treas.; G. K. Aldridge, S. D.; A. J. Blanton, J. D.; C. E. Stephens, Tyler.

Raised: F. L. Potter, Jr., J. J. Wells, C. B. Sitterson, S. D. Bradshaw, E. C. Newton, J. M. Brock, M. B. Holt, R. J. Smith, Arthur Whitfield, C. H. White, R. G. Tucker.

Admitted: J. A. Worley, C. C. Brown, G. M. Honeycutt.

Demitted: H. L. Jones.

Died: R. P. Holt.

1935

F. W. McGowen, W. M.; W. R. Gooding, S. W.; G. K. Aldridge, J. W.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, Sec.; J. B. Wallace, Treas.; A. J. Blanton, S. D.; J. F. Southerland, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: A. Q. Brinson, Paul Williams.

Admitted: Amos Outlaw, C. H. Walker, R. E. Wall, A. Brooks, R. D. Johnson, R. E. L. Wheelis, B. C. Sheffield, A. L. Humphrey, M. H. Hodges, R. W. Blackmore, Dr. J. M. Williams, W. E. Taylor, W. A. Blanchard, W. E. Hines.

Suspended: A. W. Whaley.

Died: W. G. Kornegay.

1936

W. R. Gooding, W. M.; G. K. Aldridge, S. W.; A. J. Blanton, J. W.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, Sec.; J. B. Wallace, Treas.; I. C. Burch, S. D.; G. M. Honeycutt, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: O. P. Johnson, A. J. Dickson, W. F. Blackmore, J. H. Byrd, H. L. Potter, J. O. Smith, Dempsey Smith, Earl Smith, P. E. Shoular, M. H. Canady, W. J. Stroud, L. H. Brinson, W. B. Petteway.

Admitted: J. M. Pierce, B. C. Siske, L. G. Grady, E. W. Grady, I. J. Grady, John Allen.

Demitted: K. W. Winstead.

Died: R. E. L. Wheelis, J. C. Spell, F. L. Potter, Jr., C. D. Chesnutt.

1937

G. K. Aldridge, W. M.; A. J. Blanton, S. W.; I. C. Burch, J. W.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, Sec.; J. B. Wallace, Treas.; G. M. Honeycutt, S. D.; J. M. Brock, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: J. R. Grady, Dwight Stokes, H. C. McCullen, F. H. Darnell, H. N. Beasley, D. Y. Hollingsworth, Vance B. Gavin, J. H. Atkinson, N. A. Warren, B. P. Summerlin, H. D. Maxwell, Jr., L. L. Rogers.

Demitted: R. J. Smith.

Suspended: O. A. Gardner.

Died: G. A. Outlaw, Rufus Stroud, Magnus Outlaw, I. E. Westbrook.

1938

A. J. Blanton, W. M.; I. C. Burch, S. W.; G. M. Honeycutt, J. W.; O. P. Johnson, Sec.; J. E. Jerritt, Treas.; J. M. Brock, S. D.; R. C. Wells, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: J. D. Tyndall, E. O. Littleton, R. L. King, K. M. Hollingsworth, C. H. Pope, E. F. Strickland, L. H. Fussell, J. H. Dotson, R. L. West, C. B. Guthrie, E. W. Sadler, J. E. Howard.

Admitted: Moses Farmer, A. W. Sanders.

Suspended: J. F. Southerland.

Demitted: Dwight Stokes.

1939

I. C. Burch, W. M.; G. M. Honeycutt, S. W.; J. M. Brock, J. W.; O. P. Johnson, Sec.; J. E. Jerritt, Treas.; R. C. Wells, S. D.; A. Q. Brinson, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: Paul R. Stephens.

Admitted: E. R. Penny.

Suspended: H. N. Beasley.

Demitted: G. A. Stroud.

Died: Lawrence Southerland.

1940

G. M. Honeycutt, W. M.; J. M. Brock, S. W.; R. C. Wells, J. W.; O. P. Johnson, Sec.; J. E. Jerritt, Treas.; A. Q. Brinson, S. D.; J. O. Smith, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: L. D. Groome, R. S. Long, J. P. Harmon.

Admitted: John R. Croom, S. T. Boykin.

Died: John Allen, T. H. Atkinson.

1941

J. M. Brock, W. M.; R. C. Wells, S. W.; A. Q. Brinson, J. W.; Dr. G. V. Gooding, Sec.; J. E. Jerritt, Treas.; J. O. Smith, S. D.; O. P. Johnson, J. D.; E. C. Newton, Tyler.

Raised: Samuel F. Aldridge.

Admitted: E. C. Tyndall, Dr. A. F. Williams, Jr.

Died: S. D. Bradshaw.

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